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MASSILLON RAIL-ROAD TIME TABLE.

Going	South.	North.
Cleveland.....	3-4 1/2 pm	10-10 am
Hudson.....	4-53 pm	8-55 am
Cuyabega Falls.....	5-20 pm	8-40 pm
Akron.....	5-37 pm	8-10 am
New Port ge.....	6-00 pm	7-53 am
Clinton.....	6-20 pm	7-27 am
Fulton.....	6-48 pm	7 15 am
Millport.....	7-03 pm	7-00 am
MASSILLON.....	7-23 pm	6-48 am

Cleveland Massillon Railroad.

Going	South.	North.
Cleveland.....	3:45 pm	10:10 am
Windsor.....	4:53 pm	9:55 am
Cuyahoga Falls.....	5:20 pm	8:50 am
Akron.....	5:37 pm	8:40 am
New Port ge.....	6:00 pm	7:57 am
Clinton.....	6:43 pm	7:15 am
Fulton.....	7:03 pm	6:40 am
Millington.....	7:23 pm	6:08 am
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Arrival and departure of Mails.

Through mail from east arrives.....	6 30 a.m.
Way mail from east arrives.....	12 40 p.m.
Through mail going east leaves.....	2 58 p.m.
Way mail going east leaves.....	9 43 a.m.
Navarre, Bolivar and Zor.....	(arrives) 12 15 p.m.
West Lebanon, E. Green- ville and Dutton.....	(arrives) 1 00 p.m.
West Lebanon, Mt. Union, Winesburg and Wilmet.....	leaves 12 00 p.m.
Monday's.....	
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cing, Box and Second Pine, which will
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NEBRASKA LETTER.

HEBRON, JEFFERSON, Co.,
NEB. DEC. 5th, 1870.

MR. EDITOR:—In my last I promis-
ed to tell you about this section of the
country.

HEBRON

is situated on the Little Blue river
about two hundred and twenty-five
miles southwest of Omaha, and is in
the exact center of Jefferson county.
The town consists of one house, a
store, which does a brisk business in
supplying emigrants and settlers.

The nearest village, Meridian, (so
called because situated on the exact
line of the sixth principal meridian), is
fifteen miles from here; our nearest
market town, Beatrice, is sixty miles.
I give the above items to show how
isolated we are.

Now for a full description of Hebron,
and its prospects. The original town
site consists of eighty acres, laid out
by an association residing here: said
association consists of eighteen

members, all of whom are straightfor-
ward, fair dealing men. These mem-
bers are all pledged to allow no liquor
dealers to purchase lots, nor to sell to
those who will not sign the same
pledges. Since I came another eighty
acres have been laid off. No doubt
my readers wonder what there is to
build up such a seeming hopeless town.
I will anticipate the question, and an-
swer as briefly as possible.

In the first place, let me remark,
Jefferson county is a union of two
counties: viz.—Jones and Jefferson,
and known under the name of the lat-
ter. There is no town in Jefferson
county, proper, but Hebron, which as
I stated above is laid out upon the ex-
act county center. A petition has
been signed for a division of the coun-
ty, and has met the approval of Gov.
Fowler. We feel confident the legis-
lature will grant it at their next ses-
sion. In that case, Hebron will be the
county seat of the western half.

Then again, we are to have a railroad
before Jan. 1872; it is known as the St
Joe & Denver road. A mill is to be
put up in the spring, and a brick yard
is to be in full operation. There are
other advantages of which I will speak
in some future letter. During this
month four new houses will be built.

The most satisfactory proof of our
infant town's future success is the
country and its inhabitants. I can on-
ly reaffirm of this section what I said
about Beatrice.

A fine rolling prairie, with fine
streams and plenty of timber on them,
limestone is plenty, and some indica-
tions of coal are found along the
streams.

Most of the inhabitants of this sec-
tion are nearly all members of the Dis-
ciple church. There are three elders
among us, and although their daily
cares are many, the holy Sabbath finds
them ready for the service of their
Master; and earnestly they labor to
keep their little flock from going
astray. We have no house of worship
and can only meet in private houses.

My readers must not imagine pleas-
ant cozy domicils. Let me draw you a
pen portrait of a Nebraska frontier
house. The side of a hill dug out, say
twelve by fourteen, the front built up
with prairie sod having a place for a
door and window, some forked poles
inside, a ridge pole, rafters, brush, dirt
and grass on top, and my picture is
complete. In these live not only fam-
ers with rugged families, but men
and women who have been familiar
with Brussels carpet, downy beds, the
glare of the brilliant chandelier and all
the appurtenances of wealth or mod-
erate circumstances. Misfortune has
overtaken them, and with the true
spirit of men and women, they have
voluntarily exiled themselves from
all comforts, and are roughing it in
dug out. In a year or so, most of
these humble shelters will be superse-
ded by comfortable frame of brick
houses.

To-morrow I start with a party of
six for the Platte river. We are go-
ing on a buffalo hunt. If I am for-
tunate enough to escape a certain tonso-
rial operation that Mr. "Lo" has a pec-
uliar peculiarity for, I shall endeavor
to entertain my readers with an ac-
count of the trip. Respectfully,
FRANK B. TANNER.

When is a young man's arm like the
Gospel? When it maketh glad the
weird places.

ABOUT CANALS.

The following article in reference to
the peculiar advantages afforded by
canals for heavy transportation, taken
from the Toledo Blade, will be read
by our patrons with more than ordi-
nary interest. It presents in strong
colors the advantages this means of
heavy carrying heavy freight affords,
at the same time admitting its slowness
compared with railway velocity. Coal,
stone, ore, and other weighty materials
are transported along this canal in vast
quantities; and at such rates as a faster
means of moving cannot afford. This
is a special favor to our furnace men,
marble manufacturers, and those who
use large quantities of heavy articles.
The idea is not, as we understand it,
to dispense with railroads, but rather
to relieve them of carrying such freight
as is not convenient to carry by that
means.

COAL AND THE CANALS.

Our people of Ohio should keep an
eye to the future in all their action in
reference to our canal system. Our
present necessities require a more
liberal policy and a greater degree of
attention than have been given to our
canals. The apathy of the canal com-
missioners in reference to their own interests
is largely the reason why a sentiment
has taken hold of the people that the
canals are a waste of money. In those
sections of the state not immediately
interested in them. Off the line of the
canals, their value to the state is
not well understood, owing to our lack
of diligence in diffusing information
on the subject, and to a culpable neg-
ligence in pushing their claims on pub-
lic attention. But the prudent man
will anticipate the needs of the future.
One of the necessities of the immediate
future is the need of a cheap fuel.
So long as we were destroying
wood to get rid of it we could not af-
ford to use coal, as wood could be had
so much cheaper. But the day when
we cannot afford to use wood for fuel
in north-western Ohio, in Michigan,
and in northern Indiana is near at hand
—much nearer than many suppose.
The day is not far distant when a coal
mine in Toledo would be as terri-
bly a calamity as an invasion by a hostile
army. Coal for manufacturers is al-
ready needed in large measure. In
the future we shall need more than
our present facilities could supply.

In the light of these truths it is im-
mensely important that our canals should
be so improved as to be able to fur-
nish coal at the cheapest rates for trans-
portation from the very best coal fields
of Ohio and of the west. Population
is becoming more dense, manufactures
more general, wood more valuable,
and consequently coal more and more
an essential element of public thrift
and domestic comfort. Even during the
present decade, were the Miami
canal properly improved, the move-
ment of coal alone would exceed all
other tonnage in the past history of
that thoroughfare.

The canals must not only be preserv-
ed but improved as a protection from
possible railway combinations to ex-
port wealth from the necessities of the
community in the way of freights. For
cheapness, for good condition of prop-
erty moved, and in everything but
satisfaction as carriers. It is not impos-
sible that some feasible method of
overcoming this impediment may be
devised. But whether, or not, for the
movement of heavy freights, ores, met-
als, lumber, salt, coal, &c., when speed
is not essential, the canals can always
compete with railway, if they be kept
in good order.

A correspondent, interested in the
improvement and main enance of our
canals, writes as follows:
"A system of narrow gauge railroads
is becoming a favorite project with
many. If a small locomotive, on a nar-
row track, could tow a fleet of boats
successfully, say a little beyond the
speed formerly attained by passenger
packets, the objection to canals on ac-
count of slowness would be largely over-
come, so far as freights are concern-
ed. And if within the line of proba-
bility to move a fleet, say of ten boats,
from Cincinnati to Toledo, say in three
days, with one locomotive and twenty
men, instead of taking six or seven
days and about sixty mules and sev-
enty men to do the same thing, would
it not be a great economy to the mov-
ers of freight, over anything we now
have? There are now a number of
projects for building roads parallel and
in close proximity to the canal, and
which would be inimical to it, would
not such a narrow track road, run in
the interest of our canals, certainly ob-
viate this danger? Would not the
movement of such property as could
not await the slower methods now in
use cause such an investment to be
profitable, aside from its aid to the
prosperity of the canal, and to canal
towns?"

We mention this proposition to show
that the minds of business men are
actively at work to devise methods of
more perfectly utilizing the canal sys-
tem. Whether the plan above named
be considered practicable or not, some
method of moving canal boats at an
increased rate of speed will be devised.
Therefore the duty of our legislators
to heed the counsel of our Board of
Public Works and of all acquainted

with the subject, and provide for deep-
ening the bed of the canal a length-
ening the locks, so that barges of
greater length and tonnage can be
drawn or propelled, is apparent. We
should remember that transportation
on coal is a heavy tax on consumers.
Every form of lawful competition in
freights the community should pre-
serve in justice to itself, and in mercy
to the poor. Now is the time to pro-
vide for the future comfort of our peo-
ple, and the greater development and
more complete prosperity of manu-
facturing enterprises in this section of our
state.

The president's message is consid-
ered a model document—direct, ex-
pressive without ambiguity, discussing
national affairs in that practical way
characteristic of the writer's style. It
is too long for our columns, but the
following which is the concluding par-
agraph, is so full of plain common
sense that it might answer for the plat-
form of any party having the good of
the nation at heart. It is so full of
meaning, that every member of the
sentences is a plain proposition which
no one will fail to understand.

"In conclusion, I would sum up
the policy of the administration to be a
thorough enforcement of every law,
a faithful collection of the tax provided
for; economy in the disbursement of
the same; a prompt payment of the
debt of the nation; a reduction of the
taxes as rapidly as the requirements
of the country will admit, the reduc-
tion of taxation and the tariff to be so
arranged as to afford the greatest
number of honest and fair dealings
with all other people, to the end that
war, with all its blighting consequen-
ces, may be avoided, but without sur-
rendering any right or obligation due
to us; a reform in the treatment of the
Indians, and the whole civil service of
the country; and finally, in securing a
pure, unammended ballot, where every
man entitled to cast a vote may do so
without fear of molestation or pros-
cription on account of his political
faith, nativity or color.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER IN 1871.

The Hon. Wm. E. Dodge, president
of the Evangelical Alliance of the U.
S., and Rev. Dr. Noah H. Schenck,
chairman of the executive committee,
have issued the following programme,
substantially the same as that issued
by the Evangelical Alliance in foreign
countries for the annual week of prayer,
beginning Sunday, Jan. 1, 1870.

Sunday, Jan. 1.—Sermons—Subject:
Inspiration of holy scriptures; its suffi-
ciency and sole authority for religious
faith and practice.

Monday, Jan. 2.—Prayer—Grateful
review of the past, calling for reaw-
ened confidence for the increased devo-
tiveness, humiliation for the worldli-
ness of the church, and for national
sins provoking divine judgments.

Tuesday, Jan. 3.—Prayer for nations;
for all in authority; for soldiers and
sailors; for all who have suffered in re-
cent war, and for the blessings of
peace.

Wednesday, Jan. 4.—Prayer for the
conversion of children; for Sunday
Schools and seminaries of learning,
and for the raising up of more labor-
ers in Christ's service.

Thursday, Jan. 5.—Prayer for the
outpouring of the Holy Spirit on all
who profess and call themselves
Christians; for the increase of charity
and of affectionate communion, and
co-operation among all in every land
who love the Lord Jesus Christ in sin-
cerity.

Friday, Jan. 6.—Prayer for the cir-
culation of the word of God, for a
blessing on religious literature; and
for an end of religious persecution, and
for the removal of all hindrances to
the spread of the Gospel.

Saturday, Jan. 7.—Prayer for Chris-
tian missions; and for the conversion
of the world, and for the glorious ap-
pearing of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Sunday, Jan. 8.—Sermons—Subject:
Faith Hope and Love—essential wit-
nesses for the truth.

Thieves! Knaves! Swindlers!!!
These are mild terms with which to
designate those mean contemptible ad-
venturers who have been induced by
the high reputation which Dr. Sage's
Catarah Remedy has won, to put up and
offer for sale a worthless imitation of
this celebrated medicine. Remember
that Dr. R. V. Pierce's private stamp,
which is the only *positive Guarantee*
of *Genuineness*, should be upon every
package. This private stamp, issued
by the U. S. Government expressly for
stamping Dr. Pierce's medicines, has
upon it his portrait, name and address,
and the words "C. S. Certificate of Gen-
uineness. Sold by druggists or sent by
mail on receipt of sixty cents.

Man must have occupation or be
miserable. Toil is the price of sleep
and appetite—of health and enjoyment.
The very necessity which overcomes
our natural sloth is a blessing.

In Virginia, on the occasion of an
eclipse, a colored individual became
greatly elated. "Bress de Lord," said
he, "de niggers time hab come at last,
and now we's gwine to hab a black
sun."

EVIDENCES OF KENTUCKY

CHRISTIANITY.

CHAPTER I.

External Evidences.

1. From two to five meeting houses,
and as many waving sects, in every
town and village.
2. Numerous still houses in every
part of the land.
3. Drinking houses without number,
and swarms of customers.
4. Battalions of poor, ignorant, cow-
ard negroes.
5. Almost universal jealousies and
back bitings among the preachers of
the various denominations; and, not
seldom, among those of the same de-
nomination.
6. Absolute silence among the peo-
ple at all times and in all places—ex-
cept for an hour or two on Sundays,
with respect to righteousness, temper-
ance and judgment to come.
7. Entire consecration of God's peo-
ple to money getting and money keep-
ing.

CHAPTER II.

Internal Evidences.

1. Int

Two Dollars a year, in advance.

Massillon, Wednesday, Dec. 21.

The war news continues to be varying in its character—sometimes giving the French a little advantage, then again playing the Prussians ahead. Taking altogether it looks to the people of this country as if Paris is a doomed city, and notwithstanding the persistent efforts of the French leaders and armies, it must ultimately fall before the power of the German legions. The city is surrounded by the forces of King William, and they are all actuated by that Teutonic trait, persistence, which, added to their successes heretofore, in this war, places them in the first of conquerors. There is no giving back to them, but onward is the word. It is possible that long ere this Paris might have been bombarded and taken, but the German leaders are anxious to settle the question without further effusion of blood and loss of property. Then efforts have also been made for truces which thus far have failed.—Then reduced to extremity the beleaguered city must give up and fall a prey to the ambition of the French leaders. By all the friends of peace and humanity it is hoped that the war may soon cease to bring terror, confusion, desolation and death to thousands of innocent people. A late report says that Bismarck is about to restore Napoleon on the French throne, in order to have some authorized, responsible personage with whom to ratify terms of lasting peace. Napoleon may do for a transient purpose of that kind, but he certainly would not long be the ruler of the French people.

The free trade and tariff questions are again agitating our politicians, each party endeavoring to establish something rather too indefinite for most people to comprehend. It looks to us as if this is one of the questions that will settle itself without the aid of legislation. What is called protection may seem plain enough to those who have a definite theory on the subject, but the practical question comes up in the minds of some. Who shall the laws protect? that is, what kind of business or manufacturing shall be favored with the benefits of special legislation? If one class is to be the recipients of benefits arising from enactments in its favor, it will look a little one-sided to not extend protection to all. A fair field and honorable competition is about all that seems to us that should be asked by anyone of the government. It is right that law should protect people against wrong doing, or violations of the laws of justice—that is the use of law as defined by some authors; but when it comes to legislation in favor of interests then trouble ensues. When this species of legislation is resorted to it does look as if, in the language of some one, that we are governed too much. That the parties debating these points are honest in their convictions there is no question,—good may come of their discussions, and their conclusions may lead to legislation, but experience must prove whether this legislation is just.

Congress is still making slow advances toward the abolition of the franking system, a bill to that effect having passed the house by a decided majority. But it seems more difficult to get it through the senate. Perhaps the members belong to that class of poor folks who are unable to pay postage, yet at the big wages they receive for often performing a very small amount of work, it would seem they might manage, with a little economy, to pay their postage. Many of us don't get ten dollars a day, as these congressmen do, yet if we attempt to fool Uncle Sam out of three cents postage he will be after us with a retinue of officials and make us pay dearly for imitating the ten dollars a day gentlemen.

According to what we see in the papers the Pennsylvania anthracite coal miners are on a big strike, some 10,000 or 40,000 of them having laid down their tools and refusing to work. It is all on account of wages. This has raised the price of coal in New York \$1 per ton, and the probability is it may continue to increase, unless the miners soon get to work, though there are large quantities of the article above ground. These strikes are bad for the working men, and coming at this time of the year must cause no small degree of suffering.

The rebel, murderous spirit of treason seems to not yet be dead. John H. Surratt, one of the would be aiders of the murder of Mr. Lincoln, has lately been venting himself about that bloody deed. He pretends to detail a good many strange stories about it to such audiences as he can gather at

Washington and New York. The World, of the last named place, demurely as it is, denounces the efforts of this murderous villain to thus debase the public ear. And but the other day McCreery, a chivalrous Kentucky senator, offered a resolution to relinquish the lands once owned by the arch traitor, Lee, but now in possession of the government, and where the bodies of some 17,000 union soldiers lie buried, remove these remains and return the land to Lee's family. In support of this infamous measure he pronounced an eulogy on the leader of the rebel armies, but the scorching he received for this insolence, even from his own partisans, caused him to withdraw the disgraceful proposition.

Cruelty to animals is a theme which has often been discussed, and is worthy the attention of every humane person. In the city of New York, a Mr. Berg has made this reform a specialty, and has so far succeeded as to form an association there which has wielded a beneficent influence in behalf of horses and other animals that have so often been maltreated by men who seemed to be less human than quadrupeds. Similar associations have been formed elsewhere with good results. Every day if one is a little observant he can see but too plainly man's inhumanity to the brute creation, for it is plain everywhere, among all people and is not limited to quadrupeds but extends to bipeds as well. At Boston a very handsome monthly is published discussing this important matter in a reformed and proper spirit.

Monday's Tribune of New York suggests a grand idea when it intimates to the municipal appointing powers of that town, that sober men be selected to perform the duties of policemen. It is highly proper that such a rule should be adopted in all the towns. Even at Canton one who was calabossed by the police intimates that he was thus put in limbo for no crime committed, and that when he treated these officials to a heavy joram of whisky they allowed him to go free. These whisky watchmen are a rather uncertain set to have about, pretending to protect life and property.

Our citizens, we understand, are still at work increasing their stock on the Baltimore and Western railroad. We have not heard the amount subscribed up to this time, but it cannot be far from \$100,000. Other places are so at work along a proposed route, so that the aggregate sum raised by subscription must be very large, proper enough to grade the track, as the B. & O. Road propose to put down the rails and furnish the stock. Whoever is favored with this road, whether here or elsewhere will have an acquisition well worth competing for, as it will be one of the great routes of the country, connecting points hitherto separate so far as railroad communication is concerned.

Winter commences to-day, as it is now the coldest of the season—but there is no sleighing.

Cincinnati, Dec. 19. Gas holder No. 5 of the Cincinnati gas works exploded at five o'clock this evening, with four hundred and fifty cubic feet of gas. The concussion was felt miles away. Persons within a few squares first noticed a low rumbling sound, with an oppressive condition of the atmosphere, like that attending an earthquake. Suddenly flames shot upward, illuminating the clouded heavens with red and white light, and revealing clearly an outline of the surrounding hills. Eight immense iron columns that supported the holder were thrown out and mainly broken to fragments.

The Indian Territory promises soon to become one in fact and form as well as name. The semi-civilized Choctaws, Chickasaws, and other tribes concentrated in that district, are engaged at this time in forming a territorial government, and are to ask admission to the union as a state. This condition of these tribes, socially and industrially, has greatly improved of late years; and under a good territorial government they ought to be soon instructed in the civil duties and become worthy citizens of the republic.—Tribune.

The appointment of Gen. Schenck as Minister to England was accepted by the whole country as an assurance that a settlement of the Alabama claims was to be insisted upon. Later facts connected with the mission confirm this a surmise, and establish beyond doubt that conditions satisfactory to the American people are to be enforced. It is understood at Washington that Gen. Schenck will go instructed to demand payment of the claims of American ship owners for vessels lost, with interest added, reimbursement to the American government for expenses incurred in consequence of the depredations of English-Confederate cruisers, and public recognition of the principles of neutrality hitherto insisted upon by our government. Public sentiment on this question has so far improved in England that the last is the only one at which the British nation is likely to demur; and in view of the present complicated relations with this rest of Europe, it may be glad to hasten a mutual understanding on that point somewhat at variance with her own past practice.—Tribune.

London, Friday, Dec. 13, 1870. King William of Holland has telegraphed to the government of Luxembourg that he will defend the treaty of 1867, and the honor and independence of the duchy. He also approves the acts of the government of Luxembourg. The Luxemburgers have united in an address to Prince Henry of Orange, imploring him not to allow the destruction of the political existence of the Grand Duchy without the population are first consulted on the subject. It is announced from Berlin that the Prussian government declares that the great powers of Europe concerned themselves in the Luxembourg matter in the face of her plain violation of neutrality in favor of the French. Prussia, therefore, reserves to herself full freedom for her future course. The Times of yesterday, in an editorial on the Luxembourg question, says it is not England's duty alone to resist the absorption of Luxembourg by Prussia, and thinks that perhaps Prussia may be satisfied with the acquisition, and forego the taking of Lorraine from France.

Some of the Washington correspondents of leading republican journals state that there seems to be no longer any doubt that during the present session of congress the income tax will be abolished. At least a dozen bills looking to this end have been presented, and there is a stronger feeling against the tax than ever before. Many members assert that since the reduction of the tax during the last session, little more than the expense of collecting will be realized, and if wholly repealed the revenue bureau will be enabled to reduce the force of officers and clerk, and abate other enormous expenditures to such a degree that the government will lose little by the change, to say nothing of the benefits which will follow the abolition of the tax.

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For special reasons the lecture which was to have taken place on last evening at the Presbyterian church, by Mr. Eells, of Cleveland will not be delivered until next Tuesday evening, the 27th inst. Fuller notice will be given hereafter, and we hope the speaker will be greeted with the presence of a large audience.

The little snow which fell last week had a rapid accession to its stock on last Monday in the afternoon. It had the effect of bringing out teams, sleighs, bells and people, and wore the appearance of winter, but about dark rain began to fall, which took off a considerable portion of the snow, so that it spoiled further amusement in the way of sleighing.

Some of those people who are interested in the cause of education, in Tuscarawas county, propose to have a spelling match at the union school house in Canal Dover, on the 28th inst. Not more than three are to represent one school, and the whole number of contestants is put at forty—no more. Prizes proposed for two of the successful spellers are an unabridged copy of Webster's Dictionary (price \$12) and a handsome medal worth \$6. While the present arbitrary and unreasonable method of spelling our words is the rule—hardly one in a hundred is well pronounced as spelled—such rivalry is well; for according to the varying standards of orthography there are rare cases of persons who are respectively complete in this branch of elementary instruction. Even among printers, whose business it is to spell words with their fingers, there are those who are very defective, and when we come to lawyers, doctors, preachers and other professional men, we find among their manuscript productions some decided transgressors in the matter of orthography. We go, therefore, for this spelling combat, hoping it may have a tendency to improve somebody in this branch of education. But as scarce as good spellers are they far more numerous as those that are effective readers. That art also needs cultivation.

A lawsuit, before arbitrators, of more than ordinary interest was tried at the mayor's office, which continued nearly two weeks. The names of the parties litigant were Baughman, plaintiff, and the defendants, heirs of Mr. Jacob Beideman, recently deceased, all of Sugar Creek township. Mr. Baughman claimed something over \$3,800 for taking care of the deceased when he lay for a considerable length of time, which the other party refused to pay until the question was legally decided. Some forty witnesses were examined, being aided by Anson Pease, Esq., for the plaintiff and Mr. Lynch, of Canton, for the defense. The case was warmly and earnestly contested, and resulted in a verdict of some \$2,400 in favor of the claimant.

The Canton papers are having a lively time in wrangling about the way the city authorities are attending or not attending to business. Who is to blame for the superabundance of mud which was to be found there during the rainy season is not decided, but it is alleged that somebody who has charge of the street crossings manages to make them rather lower than adjacent grounds, so that the mud in these places is rather deeper than elsewhere, and probably of quite as good quality.

The Alliance papers represent that the late financial disasters that have come upon some of the business men, there, although of a serious nature, will not prove as fatal to the place as was anticipated. The college, which some regarded as gone up, is going on with its regular sessions, and we hope will be sustained.

Bro. Rukenbrod, proprietor of the Salem *Republican*, has recently very much improved that paper by putting the locals in bourgeois type, which is certainly a vast advantage to those whose sight is failing. It also adds to the better appearance of the paper. While the little nonpareil is good for compressing considerable reading in a small space, the tiny faces of the types are such small points, comparatively, as to be regular eye-punchers.

Messrs. Beatty & Atwater are slaughtering large numbers of hogs—from 60 to 80 a day. The season will soon be over for this business, Farmers and others having that sort of work to do are generally through with it. The next job is to eat the carcasses, which would take some of us a long time to accomplish, especially if we observe the law of Moses on this point.

This is not a very original conundrum. Why are many of the papers in the country like inflated balls? Because their contents consist principally in puffs. Some that are received at this office have columns of gassy puffs, and perhaps not half a dozen locals. This makes rather lean reading for the seeker after knowledge. But perhaps this blowing pays. If so—*nu'* ced.

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The Catholic people of Alliance have formed or are about to organize a temperance society of their own. To some this may seem selfish, but we rejoice to record such a fact. Like many other classes of society some of the members of this denomination have suffered from the demon of intemperance. Father Lindersmith must be at the bottom of this movement, for it is just like him. We hope some of our protestant brethren will follow such a noble example, and if they carry out temperance principles they will lessen the number of grog-shops very materially.

In passing along the streets, or going to church, or to the Sunday or day school, the observer can see any number of little, innocent girls of early years stuck up on inverted pyramids of leather fastened on the heels of their shoes, thus forcing the weight of their bodies toward or rather on the toes. A very small amount of common sense should teach us that such apologies for shoes are a source of misery to the wearers. What have these innocents done that they should be made to do penance in this manner? Every parent who is under the necessity of purchasing such a pair of shoes for his child should make it his very first business to cut, chop, whittle, or rasp off one-half or three-fourths of such misery-making, stuck up goods, before permitting her to put her feet in them for the purpose of wearing. Away with the abominable fashion. When boys want to get on a high they resort to stilts but this is all voluntary on their part. Little girls, as a rule, are not so ambitious in that way, but those eastern fashionable shoemakers try to put them on leather stilts, no less volens.

The last *Rep* and *Rep*, of Canton, contains an article concerning an ancient paper, dated July 24, 1828, an old *Rep* story copy. That is going back almost half a century, but we have one at this office, published at Steubenville, the *Herald*, which appeared in August 1811. It is a little dingy sheet, filled with larger type than is now generally used, and is a meagre but worthy of preservation. Newspapers are such transient articles that very few preserve them, but if one chances to be the possessor of a venerable copy he regards it as a prize well worth keeping. We have also a copy of the *New Liberator* *Free Press*, published by Robert Fox in 1826—*Patriot* of the same place, of 1822 and a copy of the *Cherokee Phoenix*, printed partly in the Cherokee language, dated 1826. It was printed in Georgia, by John Guest, the inventor of the alphabet.

The Cleveland *Leader* of the 10th inst. describes at some length an admirable piece of frescoing recently finished in that city. We have not room for the entire article but give the concluding sentences, which embody the gist of the description:

"We congratulate Messrs. Vaupel & Moore on having the finest ceiling ever given to a public hall in Cleveland and earnestly hope their example may be followed by other business men of Cleveland. Since their store was first opened, three years ago, it has been the model place of the kind in the city. Visitors from the great cities of the east have stood amazed before its elaborate wrought fixtures, and expressed surprise to find in a western city of less than one hundred thousand people one establishment at least, which challenges the best attainments of Broadway and Chestnut sts."

The artist who completed this masterpiece of art is Mr. Kemmer, the gentleman who is now about finishing the frescoing of St. John's Evangelical church. We are informed by those competent to judge that this last effort of the distinguished artist is not inferior to anything of a similar character in this vicinity; and the congregation of this church evinced excellent taste and judgment when they chose this master workman to adorn their beautiful edifice. Mr. Kemmer is the artist who frescoed the Presbyterian church in this place last summer, and all who have seen that work admire the taste and skill there manifested.

Other effluences beside the Methodist are making preparations for the coming Christmas, and as the holiday season approaches, so our young people may anticipate a pleasant time at the approach of this holiday.

The genius who composed the rhymes entitled *Little Breches*, which appeared in this paper some two weeks ago, is destined to be one of the immortals, if republishing his homely but striking similes will tend to such a result. The papers almost everywhere are airing *Little Breches* in their columns, so that the people of this country are in a fair way of becoming acquainted with this noted character.

A little snow did fall a few days ago on frozen ground, which lasted for some time, and may be with us yet longer, though the rule is for it to leave soon when falling on a hard surface. The canal has about ceased to be navigable on account of the ice, though not sufficiently strong for skating.

Those who enjoy dancing will have an opportunity for doing so—if invited—at the American House, on next Wednesday evening. This is the season for festivities of that kind—getting married and all that.

Christmas comes on Sunday next, but as many people observe this as a holiday, it is expected that Saturday will be appropriated in that way. As usual, in many places, the day is rather remarkable for big eating, and in many cases for quite as big drinking, and we expect that this time will be no exception to the rule. If so, instead of a blue Monday a portion of our population will have a blue Sunday, and it may be blue enough.

Bro. McGaw of Allegheny City, visited this place last week, and during his stay visited Good Templars Lodge, where he delivered an able and appropriate address. He is doing a good work in his portion of the Keystone state, where he fully occupies his time in instituting and visiting subordinate lodges, frequently delivering lectures.

Miss Kate Fisher, who is now engaged in the histrionic profession, yesterday evening presented *Mazeppa*, or the great feat of riding the wild horse, on the stage in the Opera House. She will re-appear this evening, and aided by her troupe of professional assistants, present other attractions with which she may entertain those who patronize the drama.

For Christmas and new year presents go to a good many places in town for all sorts of diaries and almanacs, and a class of beautiful articles, and visit the news depot in opera house and Mr. Racker's.

Fellow Citizens.—If you want to have a paper that endeavors to sustain the interests of the city subscribe for the *Independent*.

If you want to be posted as to what is going on at home, subscribe for the *Independent*. If you should unfortunately choose to remove from the place and seek a home elsewhere, take the *Independent*—it is as good as a letter.

If you would keep a friend or relative posted as to who is married, died, or expects to do either, take the *Independent*—it is again a letter.

If you would know who is flourishing in business here, by their advertisements and business notices, take the *Independent*.

If you would know that the city is one of the live, solid, prosperous, go-ahead places on the western continent, take the *Independent*, and you will rejoice and be glad.

If you would take a paper that don't fail to expose iniquity in the shape of making drunkards, and all that sort of thing, take the *Independent*—for it can be counted on in that way.

It don't brag on size—not being the big brother of any family—but endeavors to go straight along in the right path, permitting those huge fellows to spread themselves as to them seemeth good.

The following item from the *Orrville Crescent* reads rather rough on someone. Can it be that anybody hereabout, or claiming to belong here, has been cutting up in the style indicated? If so, such had better look a little out:

"On Monday evening of last week, two young gentlemen and ladies arrived and put up at one of the hotels in this place, the ladies being registered as the gentlemen's wives. They enjoyed themselves by partaking of poor whisky until the time to retire. Their slumbers were not as peaceful as they might have been, for about 12 o'clock they were disturbed by a rap on the door by the landlord, who informed them that they would have to hunt out other quarters, and at the hour of midnight could have been seen four wanderers walking in the streets to hunt shelter from the night air, and rest comfortable until the morning train for the east could take them home.

We have been fortunate for some months here in having no fires to record, but one on a rather limited scale took place a few days ago resulting in the loss of the sausage manufactory belonging to Willenborg & Ertle.

Office of the Send em to the Devil Society, Massillon, Dec. 12, 1870. Wanted. Ammediately—10 good stout able bodied men 20 cents of the exact of saylones of seller doors on Sunday mornin', arly B 4 people go 2 church. With good intentions, I remain yours, DELERUM TREMINS.

Our Methodist friends we understand, are about to get up one of those beautiful Christmas trees, which they have so successfully cultivated for several years, and which all ways are laden with bounteous crops of rich fruits.

Estep has positive bargains in red and gray flannel, gray blankets, bleached cotton flannel and other goods.

Now is the time to buy one of those celebrated improved Singer sewing machines for a Christmas gift. M. SCHAFER, Agt.

On Wednesday and Thursday evenings of last week the Berger family favored considerable numbers of our citizens with their fine vocal and instrumental music—so we are informed—for having an outside ticket, we did not come within hearing "those concord of sweet sounds."

Breakfast shawls, Brochs, paisley, long and square, woolen at the lowest prices at Estep's.

We call attention to Coleman's new ad-vertisements. He has a fine display of new things, and as the holiday season approaches, so our young people may anticipate a pleasant time at the approach of this holiday.

Black and fancy colored silks and poplin at greatly reduced prices. Go to Ricks and see the goods.

You can find the cheapest assortment of blinioral and gored skirts at Ricks'.

Dress goods a very large assortment can be found at Ricks' all of which they are determined to sell. Now is the time to buy a nice dress pattern for a Christmas gift, at low prices.

Black alpacas, a new lot just received, the cheapest ever offered in this city, go to Ricks and see the prices.

Dr. Banning informs the medical profession and those suffering from hermia, spinal affection, dyspepsia, weaknesses, and displacements, that he may be consulted at the American House, in Massillon, on Monday the 26th inst., and not longer.

Girl Wanted.—A good cook, and house-keeper can find a permanent situation and good wages by addressing a note to Lock Box No. 14, Massillon, O. 384-tf

Estep has just received a supply of the celebrated New Lisbon dress flannels in high colors all wool.

Black beaver and velvetines; also, fancy colored cloaks in a large variety of styles—must be sold—at Ricks' you can buy them cheap.

German town wool, zephyrs, balmoral and Ombre shaded worsted at Estep's.

Blankets, white and colored; also, fancy coverlets will be sold very cheap at Ricks'.

The embroidered and lace trimmed handkerchiefs, collars and chemisettes at Estep's, rich and rare.

Waterproof, velvetine, embossed felt and plain cloth skirts at Estep's.

A large assortment of lace embroidered and tucked handkerchiefs, also, linen and lace collars in all styles and prices at Ricks'.

MARRIED.—By Rev. G. W. Timlow, Dec. 15th, Mr. GEORGE HOLDBERAC and Miss ANNA BARDEN.

Dec. 15th, by Rev. E. Hingley Mr. DAVID M. ANDERSON and Miss AGNES ALLMAN.

Massillon Market.
Corrected weekly by D. R. Atwater & Co.
Flour per bbl. \$5.00@7.00
Wheat per bush. 1.12@1.20
Rye per bush. 75@90
Corn per bush. 50@60
Oats per bush. 40@50
Barley per bush. 30@40
Cloverseed per bush. 2.00@2.20
Flaxseed per bush. 3.00@3.50
Timothy seed per bush. 40@50
Potatoes per bush. 60@75
Butter per lb. 20@25
Eggs per dozen. 40@50
Salt per barrel. 2.00@2.50
Dried apples. 1.50@2.00
White sugar. 1.25@1.50
Water time. 2.25@2.50
Live hogs. 6@7
Dressed hogs. 7@11

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Has for sale land in Jefferson, Muckelios, and Webster counties, Nebraska, and can give any information derived by those who propose purchasing lands. Address, Hebron, Jefferson Co., Neb.

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West side of the canal, and one door west of Warwick & Co's Store.

HUNTSMAN & HONG.

Massillon, Nov. 22, 1870. 384-tf

Hamilton Opera House
Drawing.

The undersigned commissioners will dispose of the following described property by a drawing, at Hamilton, Ohio,

DECEMBER, 31st, 1870.

1st, Schwab's Opera House,

in Hamilton, O., an elegant and substantial structure costing \$127,000, which has been appraised by the probate judge, sheriff, and auditor of the county at \$100,000.

2d, The Timberman Farm,

in Ross township, Butler county. This is one of the most productive farms in Ohio, and is in a high state of improvement. It was appraised by the same parties at \$26,910.

3d, The Hageman Farm,

just south of Hamilton, Ohio, which is also a very rich Miami bottom farm, and is appraised at \$18,895.

4th, The Sanderson Residence,

in the second ward of the city of Hamilton, which is appraised at \$8,000.

All this property will be disposed of to the holders of tickets, by a drawing to take place under our management, at Hamilton, Ohio, on Saturday, December 31st, 1870, which drawing we guarantee to be conducted honestly and impartially.

The whole scheme will embrace \$175,000, divided into shares—or tickets—of \$5 each; these tickets can be obtained at our office, in the Opera House, Hamilton, O., or at local agencies through the country.

All communications should be addressed to Opera House Commissioners, Board of Public Murders, of

REV. C. A. HEIMANN, } Commissioners

P. G. ALBRIGHT, Agent, Massillon, Ohio

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Family Physician, Hydropathic.—By Dr. H. W. Shaw, a large and valuable work for Home or Domestic Practice. Profusely illustrated. \$4.

Midwifery and the Diseases of Women.—A practical work. By Dr. Shaw. \$1.75.

Philosophy of Water-Cure.—By Dr. B. J. Billings. 50 cents.

Practice of Water-Cure.—By Drs. Wilson & Gully. 50 cents.

Sent pre-paid by return post, on receipt of price, by S. R. Wells, 389 Broadway, New York. 384-tf

Brooklyn, N. Y., March 17, 1870.

98 Fulton street.

Dr. W. H. WHEATLEY, Esq.

Dear Sir:—Having stated verbally to you, I have no hesitation in writing the fact, although not disposed in favor or to recommend patent medicines in general.

I do this more readily in regard to the sick headache cure prepared by Dr. Whitteley, of New York, Ohio. I have analyzed and tried it, and I recommend it as one of the best dyspepsia cures ever invented, and the cure I am doing at act of justice to the compounder of it, and an act of benevolence to those afflicted with dyspepsia and sick headache for which it is recommended.

Yours respectfully,

FRANCIS RAAS, M.D.

TO PHYSICIANS.

New York, August 15th, 1868.

Allow to call attention to my Preparation of Compound Extract Buchu: The component parts are Buchu, Long Leaf, Cubebes, Juniper Berries.

Mode of Preparation.—Buchu, in vacuo. Juniper berries, by distillation to form a fine oil. Cubebes extracted by displacement with spirits obtained from Juniper Berries, very little sugar is used and a small proportion of spirit. It is more palatable than any now in use.

Buchu as prepared by druggists, is of a dark color. It is a plant that emits its fragrance, the action of a flame destroys this (its active principle), leaving a dark and glaucous decoction. Mine is the color of ingredients. The buchu in my preparation is pure; smallest quantity of the other ingredients are added, to prevent fermentation; upon inspection it will be found not to be a tincture, as made in pharmacopoea, nor is it a syrup—and therefore can be used in cases where fever or inflammation exists. In this, you have a knowledge of the ingredients and the mode of preparation.

Hoping that you will favor it with a trial, and that upon inspection it will meet with your approbation.

With a feeling of profound confidence,

I am, very respectfully,

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Read the following symptoms:

Constipation, flatulence, inward piles, fullness of blood to the head, acidity of the stomach, nausea, heartburn, disgust for food, fullness or weight in the stomach, sour eructations, sinking or fluttering at the pit of the stomach, vomiting of bile, or of food, or of the contents of the stomach, fluttering at the heart, choking or suffocating sensations when in a lying posture, dimness of vision, dots or webs before the sight, dull pain in the head, deficiency of perspiration, yellowness of the skin, and eyes, pain in the side, back, chest, limbs, &c., sudden flushes of heat, burning in the flesh, constant and general feeling of cold, or of depression of spirits. All these indicate disease of the liver or digestive organs combined with impure blood.

The use of the fluid extract or tonic will soon cause the above symptoms to disappear, and the patient will become well and healthy.

Dr. Helmbold's Greek Oil.

LIGHTNING CURE FOR ALL KINDS OF PAINS AND AGUES.

Applied INTERNALLY.—It will cure kidney complaints, backaches, sick headaches, colic, dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera infantum, cholera morbus, cramps, and pains in the stomach, fever and ague, colds, coughs, Asthma, &c., &c.

Applied EXTERNALLY.—It will cure all kinds of pains and aches, such as rheumatism, neuralgia, toothache, chilblains, sprains, bruises, frost bites, headaches, pains in the back and loins, pains in the joints or limbs, stings of insects, ringworms, &c.

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The most powerful, yet innocent vegetable cathartic known.

It is not necessary to take a handful of these pills to produce the desired effect; two of them act quickly and powerfully, clearing the liver, stomach and bowels of all impurities. The principal ingredient is Podophyllin, or the alcoholic extract of manihott which is many times more powerful, acting, and scattering, than the crude bark itself. It acts rapidly on the liver, clearing it speedily from all obstructions, with all the power of mercury, yet free from the injurious results attached to the use of that mineral.

For all diseases in which the use of a cathartic is indicated, these pills will give the satisfaction in every case. They never fail.

In cases of liver complaint, dyspepsia, and extreme costiveness, Dr. Helmbold's German Bitters or tonic should be used in connection with the pills. The tonic effects of the bitters or tonic purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, restores the liver and gives strength, energy, and vigor.

Keep your bowels active with the pills, and tone up the system with bitters or tonic, and no disease can retain its hold, or ever assail you.

These medicines are sold by all druggists and dealers in medicine everywhere. Be sure, however, that it is Dr. Helmbold's German Remedies that are so universally used and highly recommended; and do not allow the druggist to induce you to take anything else that he may say is just as good, because he makes a larger profit on it. The remedy will be sent by express to any locality, upon the application to the principal office, at the German Medical Store, 631 Arch Street, Philadelphia.

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The other day a gallus looking Co-
lestial, with a well oiled tail hanging
down to his heels, followed by a robust
specimen of the Flowery Kingdom,
with her hair dressed a la fan tail pig-
con, came to Justice Ellis's court room
to be married Melian style.

"Have you got license, John?" asked
the Judge.
"Yes me hal got," answered John,
"me go one cote house, one law man,
me hup catehee license."

"Well, you like me marry you Mel-
can fashion?"
"Yes, likee all one Melian man."
"You got any wife now, John?"
John, astonished: "No, me no got
no wife. Me likee catehee one wife;
me likee catehee him," pointing to the
almond-eyed female at his side.

"Are you married?" asked the Judge
of the Celestial; "you got one man?"
"No, me no got one man. Me one
man in China countree—he come die cue
time."

"Well, all right. What's your name
John?"
"Me Su nung Fung."
"What? Some Fun?"
"No me name So nung Fung-o."
"Oh! Sing Fung! Well, what's her
name—the woman's?"

"Who, him? Him name He-ye Go
yo."
"Hoy Goy! All right, you stand up
here. Take her by the hand, John.
No stand this way. Not that hand;
this hand. Now, John, what's your
name?"

"Su nung Fung."
"Now, John—Sing Fung, you takee
him woman—what you callee him
name, John?"
"Callee him He-ye Go ye."
"You takee him, Hoy Goy, to be
your wife, and promise to keep her
heep good; heep plenty rice give her
eater, no kick her; be good man all the
time, hey?"

John—You bet me belly good man,
Judge. Me no kick him plenteo.
Judge—"Now, you here Hog Eye, or
whatever your other name is—
you takee him to be your man; be one belly
good wife to him all time; no run
away; cook him ricee all time—bet
you life?"

Hoy Goy—"Me one good woman;
cookee um ricee all time—bully wifee
me."
Judge—"All right. Me plenteo
power; me big mandarin—two a sw order
man—me tellee you one piece—one
piece man, one piece wife. Plenteo
rice, all done. John, cash. John, mon
ty—sabe?"

John paid up, but was determined
to find himself married
Melian fashion) to have a bit of a blow
out. He sent out for wine and glasses
and treated all hands. After this was
over the pair struck out for Chinatown,
remarking, "Hi yang chin powe, sung
to pin chin tow ee ling! as they went,
which shows that they were highly de-
lighted with the Melian marriage cere-
mony.—Virginia City Enterprise.

God gives every bud its food but
does not throw it into the nest.
Woe unto him who smiles not
over a cradle and weeps not over a
tomb.
Josh Bulings says codfish is as good
as an umbrella to keep one dry.
When is a butterfly like a kiss?
When it alights on tulips.

Why are Mission girls always
sweet? Because they are Molasses.
"My wife," said a critic, is the most
even tempered woman in the world—
she is always mad.
The rainy season has commenced in
California, and the anxiety concerning
the crops the coming season has been
dispelled throughout the state.
Of all the monarchs nature makes
the best laws, and is sure to punish
their violation.
The Evanville Journal considers
the knocking down of a couple of stub-
born jayvans with a car a simple
and playful act, provided the car is
not broken.

Why is a drunkard, hesitating to sign
the pledge, like a skeptical philosopher?
Because he is in doubt whether to give
up the worship of Jugg or not.
A white boy asked a little colored
fellow what he had such a short nose
for. "I expects its so I won't poke it
into other people's business," was the
answer.
Master Charlie, aged four years,
was not pleased on being reproved for
some mischievous prank, and showed
his displeasure in his face, when his
mother remarked, "Why, Charlie,
I'm astonished to see you making
faces at your mother." Charlie bright-
ened up at once and replied, "Why, I
meant to laugh, but, mamma, my face
slipped."

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.
Episcopal church.....G. W. Tinslow, rector.
Methodist Ep. church.....E. H. Ingley, pastor.
Presbyterian church.....R. L. Williams, pastor.
German Reformed.....H. Korthauer, pastor.
Evangelical Lutheran.....P. I. Buehl, pastor.
St. Joseph's, Catholic.....Father Verlet.
St. Mary's, Catholic.....Father Less.
Disciples, every other Sunday Prof. Atwater.

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I O Odd FellowsMonday evening
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P. E. & A. Masons.....Monday evening

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without usefulness in the right direc-
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all the living issues of the day. But
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subserve the local interests of the com-
munity with which it is identified, and
so it proposes to continue. Its home
record of the ever varying phases of
business, of the prosperity of the city,
and of the social and moral state of so-
ciety here, with other matters too nu-
merous to specify, will give those who
come after us, and have occasion to ex-
amine the files of this paper, a faithful
history of the years of its existence.

We solicit the continued patronage
of our people in the confidence that
we shall render satisfaction—at least
as good as we can come at it—and
for such as are removing elsewhere we
hope to make the INDEPENDENT a very
welcome visitor.

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Done on easy terms. Our patrons
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